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Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

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Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No. If yes, brief description:

Claim(s) discussed: _____

Identification of prior art discussed: _____

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:

Discussed claims 1, 33, and 42 and the Examiner agrees that Applicant's representative arguments overcome the prior art of record.

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i) ☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview (if box is checked).

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